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24729-7019673001
(268/214)

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:)
Joseph V. Koblisch, et al.) Group Art Unit: 3739
Serial No.: 09/975,393) Examiner: R. Kearney
Filed: October 10, 2001)
For: DEVICES AND METHODS FOR)
CREATING LESIONS IN ENDOCARDIAL)
AND SURROUNDING TISSUE TO)
ISOLATE FOCAL ARRHYTHMIA)
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Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Response (11 pages) to Office Action, mailed , August 13, 2003, and the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, mailed January 5, 2004, for the above-identified application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2518, Docket No. 268/214 (2024729-7019673001).

DATE: January 12, 2004

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In response to the Office Action, mailed August 13, 2003, and the Notice of Non-Compliant
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